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To:

All Supervisors, Criminal Prosecutions Bureau

From:

Joe Magats, ASA, Deputy Chief, Criminal Prosecutions Bureau

Re:

Illinois State Trooper Ramon Coss, ID # 6027

Date:

January 14, 2011

Cc:

Shauna Boliker, First Assistant

Walt Hehner, Chief Deputy

Dan Kirk, Chief of Staff

Fabio Valentini, ASA, Chief, Criminal Prosecutions Bureau

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Tisa Morris, ASA, Chief, Juvenile Justice Bureau

Brian Sexton, ASA, Chief, Narcotics Prosecutions Bureau

It has been brought to the office's attention that Illinois State Trooper Ramon Coss, ID#6027 has been charged with Disorderly Conduct under Case No. 10 CM 458. The case is currently pending in the Circuit Court of Sauk County, Wisconsin. As you are all well aware, the fact that any witness that we are calling to testify has a pending criminal case must be disclosed to the defense.

If you or any of the assistants that you supervise have a case where you are calling Trooper Coss as a witness, the fact that Trooper Coss has a pending case must be disclosed to the defense prior to trial. The MIS Department is doing a computer search to see whether Trooper Coss is a witness on any pending felony cases. Once I have the results of that search, I will forward them to each of you. Please don't call MIS to have another list run. Units that do not have a computer case

management system will have to check their files to determine whether Trooper Coss is a witness.

If you or the assistants that you supervise have a case where Trooper Coss is a witness and you determine that he is a necessary witness and needs to be called in the case, and, at the time that Trooper Coss is testifying his case is still pending, please file and tender to the defense the attached Notice of Disclosure prior to trial. None of the ASAs that you supervise are to file the notice without your prior knowledge and specific approval. An electronic copy of the Notice of Disclosure will be sent to you.

If you or your ASAs have any questions, please call me. Thank you.

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| PEOPLE O | F THE STATE C | OF ILLINOIS) | | |
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| State's Atto | _ | | linois by their attorney A her assistants / and / here | |
| 1. | That Illinois State Trooper Ramon Coss, ID# 6027 has been charged with Disorderly Conduct under Case No. 10 CM 458. That case is pending in the Circuit Court of Sauk County, Wisconsin. | | | |
| 2. | That Trooper Coss will be called to testify as a witness for the prosecution in the above-captioned case. | | | |
| 3. | That no promises of leniency or promises of any nature have been made to Trooper Coss regarding his pending case in return for his testimony in the above-captioned case. | | | |
| 4. | That no threats have been made to Trooper Coss regarding his pending case in return for his testimony in the above-captioned case. | | | |
| | | Respectfully | submitted, | |
| | | Anita Alvare State's Attorn | z ney of Cook County | |
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